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## DISTANCE FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO ST. LOUIS.

Mr. Bailey, one of the passengers from San Francisco, has furnished the St. Louis Republican with a sketch of his trip, from which the following table is compiled. Mr. Bailey says, that at least four days' time were lost on this trip from causes which are not likely to occur hereafter :

*Memorandum of Distances between the Stations on the Overland Route from San Francisco to St. Louis, via Arizona, and of the time made on the first trip :*

MILES.	MILES.	MILES.
<i>From San Francisco to</i>	Temascal.....20—521	Cook's Springs.....18—1271
Clark's.....12	Laguna Grande.....10	531 Pecacho, no water,....52 1323
Sun Water.....9—21	21 Temecula.....21	552 Fort Fillmore.....14 1337
Red Wood City.....9	30 Tejungo .....14	566 Cottonwoods.....24 1362
Mountain View.....12	42 Oak Grove.....12	578 Franklin.....22 1384
San José.....11	53 Warner's Ranch.....10	588 Time, 82 hours—dist., 360 miles.
Ser'teen Mile House 17	70 San Felipe.....10	598 <i>From Franklin to</i>
Gilroy.....13	83 Vallecito .....18	606 Waco Tanks.....30 1414
Pacheco's Pass.....18	101 Palm Springs.....9	615 Canodrus.....36 1450
St. Louis Ranch.....17	118 Carriso Creek.....9	624 Pinery, no water,....56 1506
Lone Willow.....18	136 Indian Wells, no wat.32	656 Delaware Springs.....24 1530
Temple's Ranch.....13	149 Alamo Mucho, " 38	694 Pope's Camp.....40 1570
Firebaugh's Ferry...15	164 Cook's Wells, " 22	716 Emigrant Crossing...65 1635
Fresno City.....19	183 Pilot Knob.....18	734 Horse Head Crossing55 1690
Elk House Spring...22	205 Fort Yuma.....10	744 Head Conch, no wat.70 1760
Whitmore's Ferry...17	222 Time, 72h. 20m.—dist., 280 miles.	Grape Creek.....22 1782
Cross Creek.....12	234 <i>From Fort Yuma to</i>	Fort Chadbourne....30 1812
Visalia.....12	246 Swivel's .....20—764	Time, 128h. 40m.—dist., 428 miles.
Packwood .....12	258 Filibuster Camp....18	782 <i>From Fort Chadbourne to</i>
Tule River.....14	272 Peterman's.....19	801 Station No. 1.....12 1824
Fountain Spring....14	286 Griswell's.....12	813 Mountain Pass.....16 1840
Mountain House....12	298 Flap Jack Ranch....15	828 Phantom Hill.....30 1870
Posey Creek.....15	313 Oatman Flat.....20	848 Smith's.....12 1882
Gordon's Ferry.....10	323 Murderer's Grave...20	868 Clear Fork.....26 1908
Kern River Slough..12	335 Gila Ranch.....17	885 Francis'.....13 1921
Sink of Tejon.....14	349 Maricopa Wells....40	925 Fort Belknap.....22 1943
Fort Tejon.....15	364 Socatoon .....22	947 Murphy's.....16 1959
Reed's.....8	372 Pecacho .....37	984 Jackboro' .....19 1978
French John's.....14	386 Pointer Mountain...22	1006 Earhart's.....16 1994
Widow Smith's.....24	410 Tucson.....18	1024 Conolly's.....16 2010
King's.....10	420 Time, 71h. 45m.—dist., 280 miles.	Davidson's.....24 2034
Hart's.....12	432 <i>From Tucson to</i>	Gainsville.....17 2051
San Fernando Miss. 8	440 Seneca Sp., no wat.,35	1059 Diamond's .....15 2066
Camengo.....12	452 San Pedro, " 24	1083 Sherman's .....15 2081
Los Angeles.....12	464 Dragoon Spr., " 23	1106 Colbert's, Red river,14 2095
Time, 80 hours—dist., 464 miles.	Apache Pass, " 40	1146 Time, 65h. 25m.—dist., 283 miles.
<i>From Los Angeles to</i>	Stein's Peak, " 35	1181 <i>From Colbert's Ferry to</i>
Monte .....13—477	Sold. Farewell, " 42	1223 Fisher's.....13 2108
San José.....12	489 Oje de Vaca.....14	1237 Wabis' .....14 2192
Rancho del Chino...12	501 Miembries' River....16	1253 Boggy Depôt.....17 2213

Gary's.....17-2156	Park's.....20-2335	Quincy.....16-2529
Waddell's.....15 2171	Fayetteville.....14 2349	Bailey's.....10 2539
Blackburn's.....16 2187	—'s Station.....12 2361	Warsaw .....11 2550
Pusley's .....17 2204	Callahan's .....22 2383	Burns'.....10 2560
Riddell's .....17 2221	Harburn's.....19 2402	Mulholland's .....20 2580
Holloway's.....17 2238	Conch's.....16 2418	Shackelford's.....13 2593
Trayton's.....17 2255	Smith's. ....15 2433	Tipton.....7 2600
Walker's.....17 2272	Ashmore's.....20 2453	Time, 48h. 55m.—dist., 313 miles.
Fort Smith.....15 2287	Springfield.....13 2466	<i>From Tipton to</i>
Time, 38 hours—dist., 192 miles.	Evans'.....9 2475	St. Louis.....160—2760
<i>From Fort Smith to</i>	Smith's.....11 2486	Time, 11 hours and 40 minutes.
Woolsey's.....16 2303	Bolivar's.....11 2497	
Brodie's .....12 2315	Yost's.....16 2513	

## RECAPITULATION:

	MILES.	HOURS.
From San Francisco to Los Angeles,.....	464	80:00
“ Los Angeles to Fort Yuma,.....	280	72:20
“ Fort Yuma to Tucson,.....	280	71:45
“ Tucson to Franklin,.....	360	82:00
“ Franklin to Fort Chadbourne,.....	428	128:40
“ Fort Chadbourne to Colbert's Ferry, (Red River,).....	283	65:25
“ Colbert's Ferry (Red River) to Fort Smith,.....	192	38:00
“ Fort Smith to Tipton,.....	313	48:55
“ Tipton to St. Louis, Missouri,.....	160	11:40
Total,.....	2760	596:35

Twenty-four days, twenty hours, thirty-five minutes—two hours and nine minutes for difference in longitude, leaves twenty-four days, eighteen hours and twenty-six minutes. [These distances are liberally computed. For instance: By viameter measure (Warner's), from San Francisco to Los Angeles it is 409 miles, while this table makes it 464 miles—a difference of 55 miles.]

POSTAGE BY THE OVERLAND MAIL.—Three cents pre-pays a letter weighing half an ounce from San Francisco to Cincinnati, Ohio, and Chicago, Illinois. All distances in the Atlantic States, beyond these places, require *ten cents*. Consequently, if a letter is posted in Sacramento, or other inland city, the latter rate of postage is required for the above named places, as well as all points further East.

## COLD FEET.

Nothing is more inducive of pulmonary disease than cold feet. Cold feet cannot possibly occur if the circulation is properly kept up. A sense of coldness in them is an indication that they are not sufficiently protected by clothing. Our bodies are often overburdened with overcoats and wrapping-shawls, while our limbs are but imperfectly covered. Now, there is nothing more dangerous than allowing the feet to become damp and cold. Health requires that they should always be kept warm and dry. It is better to pay the tailor, and shoemaker, and hosiery, for preserving your health, than to pay the doctor for curing you after you are ill.

# WM. SCHMOLZ,

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**MORNING AND EVENING STARS FOR 1859.**

VENUS will be Morning Star until October 8th, then Evening Star the remainder of the year.

MARS will be Evening Star until July 26th, then Morning Star the remainder of the year.

JUPITER will be Evening Star until June 25th, then Morning Star until February, 1860.

SATURN will be Morning Star until January 31st, then Evening Star until August 10th, then Morning Star the remainder of the year.

**ECLIPSES FOR 1859.**

In the year 1859 there will be four Eclipses of the Sun and two of the Moon:

FIRST.—A partial Eclipse of the Sun, February 2d, 1859. This Eclipse is only visible in a small portion of the Southern Ocean.

SECOND.—A total eclipse of the Moon, February 17th, commencing about 12 o'clock in the morning. This Eclipse will be visible throughout California.

## SAN FRANCISCO TIME.

	<i>d.</i>	<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>		<i>d.</i>	<i>h.</i>	<i>m.</i>
First contact with the penumbra, morn'g,	17	0	03	End of total Eclipse.....	17	3	33
First contact with the shadow, ..	"	17	0	59	Last contact with the shadow.....	17	4
Beginning of total Eclipse.....	"	17	1	57	Last contact with the penumbra.....	17	5
Middle of Eclipse.....	"	17	2	45			

Magnitude of the Eclipse, (Moon's diameter,) 1,693. The first contact with the shadow occurs at 121° from the Northernmost point of the Moon's limb toward the East. The last contact at 69° toward the West.

THIRD.—A partial Eclipse of the Sun, March 4th; invisible in California.

FOURTH.—A partial eclipse of the Sun, July 29th; visible in British North America, Greenland, and North Atlantic Ocean.

FIFTH.—A total Eclipse of the Moon, August 13th; invisible.

SIXTH.—A partial Eclipse of the Sun, August 27th; invisible in California.

**EQUINOXES AND SOLSTICES FOR 1859.**

Vernal Equinox,	March	20d.	7h.	11m., Evening.
Autumnal Equinox,	September	23d.	6h.	2m., Morning.
Summer Solstice,	June	21d.	3h.	49m., Evening.
Winter Solstice,	December	21d.	11h.	53m., Evening.

APOGEE—Point in the Moon's orbit at the greatest distance from the Earth.      PERIGEE—Point in the Moon's orbit at the least distance from the Earth.



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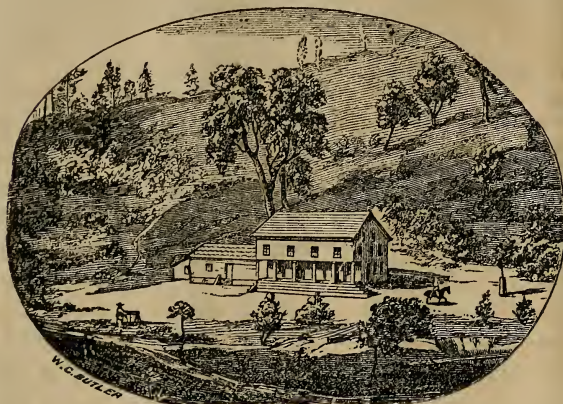
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DAY OF MONTH.	DAY OF WEEK.	Moon's Phases, San Francisco. New Moon, 4d 9h 18m, morning. First Quarter, 12d 11h 16m, morning. Full Moon, 18d 3h 42m, evening. Last Quarter, 25d 0h 36m, evening.	Sun and Tide Table. By WM. SCHMOLZ, Math. Instrument Maker.							
			SUN		MOON		HIGH WATER.			
		Chronological Events.	RISES.	SETS.	RISES.		MORN.	EVE.		
1	Sat	New Year's Day. Second overflow of Sacramento City.	7 17	4 43	5 40		9 41	9 58		
2	S	Isaac Newton born, 1642.	7 16	4 44	6 21		10 13	10 36		
3	Mon	Earthquake at Mariposa, 1854.	7 16	4 44	6 43		10 53	11 16		
4	Tue	Moon Apogee. Weekly Alta California, S. Francisco, first published, in 1849.	7 15	4 45	sets.		11 38	11 59		
5	Wed	Decatur born, 1779.	7 15	4 45	6 19		0 14	0 30		
6	Thu	Heavy fall of rain, 1850.	7 14	4 46	7 21		0 48	1 05		
7	Frid	California Star, first paper published in San Francisco, by Samuel Brannan, in 1847.	7 14	4 46	8 19		1 21	1 37		
8	Sat	Sacramento City destroyed by a flood, Jan. 7-15th, 1850.	7 13	4 47	9 12		1 54	2 09		
9	S	Severe Earthquake at San Francisco, 1854.	7 13	4 47	10 08		2 25	2 41		
10	Mon	Stamp Act passed the British Parliament, 1765.	7 12	4 48	11 15		2 59	3 18		
11	Tue	Drawing of the first English Lottery, 1569.	7 12	4 48	morn		3 36	3 54		
12	Wed	California Legislature removed from Valero to Sacramento, 1853.	7 11	4 49	1 19		4 17	4 38		
13	Thu	Pennsylvania Bank U. S. shares sold at 50c., 1841.	7 10	4 50	2 22		5 00	5 29		
14	Frid	First Convention met in Connecticut to form Constitution, 1639.	7 09	4 51	3 40		5 56	6 36		
15	Sat	Banks of Phila. and Wilmington resumed specie payment, 1841.	7 08	4 52	4 59		7 10	7 55		
16	S	Union of England and Scotland, 1707.	7 07	4 53	5 56		8 36	9 15		
17	Mon	Benjamin Franklin born, 1706.	7 06	4 54	rises.		9 22	9 50		
18	Tue	Moon Perigee. Suspension of payment by Adams & Co., Bankers, etc., 1854.	7 05	4 55	5 32		10 21	10 51		
19	Wed	GOLD DISCOVERED by James W. Marshall, at Sutter's Mills, 1848.	7 05	4 55	6 39		11 19	11 45		
20	Thu	Good skating near Russ' Garden, 1854.	7 04	4 56	7 49		0 11	0 35		
21	Frid	South Sea English Bubble burst, 1721.	7 03	4 57	8 59		0 59	1 22		
22	Sat	First Daily paper, the Alta California, issued, 1850.	7 02	4 58	10 18		1 45	2 08		
23	S	William Pitt died, 1806.	7 01	4 59	11 26		2 29	2 50		
24	Mon	San Francisco Mercantile Library formed, 1853.	7 00	5 00	morn		3 08	3 28		
25	Tue	Jenner died, 1823.	6 59	5 01	1 14		3 50	4 10		
26	Wed	Lord Jeffrey died, at Edinburgh, 1850.	6 58	5 02	2 30		4 30	4 54		
27	Thu	"The Pioneer," the first Magazine on the Pacific, first published, 1854.	6 57	5 03	3 28		5 19	5 48		
28	Frid	Burr's Conspiracy, so-called, 1807.	6 56	5 04	4 19		6 25	6 59		
29	Sat	Albert Gallatin born, 1761. Veto of the U. S. Bank Bill, by Madison, 1815.	6 55	5 05	5 12		7 45	8 28		
30	S	Ben Jonson born, 1574. Osceola died, 1839.	6 54	5 06	5 52		8 59	9 22		
31	Mon	Moon Apogee.	6 53	5 07	sets.		9 46	9 54		



THE HOTEL AT THE CAVE, CALAVERAS COUNTY.

An audacious fellow has dried snow and sold it for salt.

Why is a rum-seller like a butcher?—Because the better his business is, the more he kills.

Dr. Bemen, of Troy, remarked in a sermon lately, that if Franklin tamed the lightning, Professor Morse taught it the English language.

"It is a beautiful belief,  
That ever round our head  
Are hovering with noiseless wing,  
The spirits of the dead."

"It is a beautiful belief,  
When finished our career,  
That it will be our destiny  
To watch o'er others here."

### GOLD PRODUCT OF CALIFORNIA

The amount of treasure manifested at the port of San Francisco, from 1849 to the close of 1856, is \$322,393,856, which does not include the sums taken by private hands, the aggregate of which cannot be ascertained.—*Cal. State Register*.

The amount of gold received at the U. S. Mint and its various branches from 1848 to June, 1858, was \$474,921,685.

The estimated yield of gold in California since its discovery to the present time, (November, 1858,) is \$671,362,000.

Gold coinage for the twelve months ending October 31st, 1858:

848,710 Double Eagles...	\$16,974,200	Oz. 912,363.25
11,800 Eagles.....	118,000..	6,342.50
18,000 Half Eagles..	93,000..	4,998.75
1,200 Quarter Eagles	3,000..	161.25
10,000 Gold Dollars..	10,000..	537.50

890,310 ..... \$17,198,200 Oz. 924,403.25

Silver coinage for the twelve months ending October 31st, 1858:

456,000 Half Dollars.....	\$228,000....	Oz. 182,400
121,000 Quarter Dollars...	30,250....	24,200
10,000 Dimes.....	6,000....	4,800
637,000.....	\$264,250....	Oz. 211,400

A lie always arises from fear or from interest, and consequently, from meanness.

Applause is the spur of noble minds—the end and aim of weak ones.

At St. Louis, when a high pressure steamer, crowded with passengers, bursts its boiler, it is called "elevating the masses."

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Chronological Events.			H.	M.	H.	M.	H.	M.	H.	M.		
1	Tue	Gold Bluff excitement, 1850.	6	53	5	07	4	49	10	39	10	58
2	Wed	Town of San Andreas destroyed by fire 1856.	5	52	6	08	5	29	11	25	11	42
3	Thu	Sacramento Valley Railroad completed to Folsom, 1856.	6	51	5	09	6	14	11	54	0	18
4	Fri	Great Earthquake in Sicily, 1693.	6	50	5	10	7	16	0	30	0	49
5	Sat	Organization of the first Fire Company on the Pacific, in Sacramento City, 1850.	6	49	5	11	8	12	1	03	1	18
6	S	Earthquake in New England, 1736.	6	48	5	12	9	13	1	35	1	48
7	Mon	Arkansas admitted into the Union, 1836.	6	47	5	13	10	12	1	54	2	16
8	Tue	Loss of the clipper ship San Francisco, near Fort Point, 1854.	6	46	5	14	11	03	2	32	2	48
9	Wed	William Henry Harrison born, 1773.	6	45	5	15	11	57	3	09	3	22
10	Thu	DeWitt Clinton died, 1823	6	44	5	16	morn		3	40	3	56
11	Fri	Queen Victoria married, 1840.	6	43	5	17	1	18	4	22	4	44
12	Sat	The principal streets of San Francisco first lighted with Gas, 1854.	6	42	5	18	2	30	5	15	5	50
13	S	Treaty of Peace between the United States and Great Britain, 1815.	6	42	5	18	2	30	5	15	5	50
14	Mon	Man and mule lost in the mud on Kearny street, San Francisco, 1850.	6	41	5	19	3	36	6	35	7	22
15	Tue	St. Valentine's day. Blackstone died, 1782.	6	40	5	20	4	42	8	15	8	54
16	Wed	Moon perigee.	6	38	5	22	5	38	9	22	9	38
17	Thu	Loss of the steamship Independence, off Margarita Island, Lower California, 1853.	6	37	5	23	rises.		10	18	10	48
18	Fri	John Adams born, 1735; died, July 4, 1826.	6	36	5	24	6	40	11	20	11	40
19	Sat	Vermont admitted into the Union, 1793.	6	35	5	25	7	56	11	54	0	22
20	S	Florida ceded to the United States, 1821.	6	34	5	26	8	57	0	44	1	04
21	Mon	Ohio admitted into the Union, 1803.	6	33	5	27	10	12	1	25	1	44
22	Tue	Great Fire at Stockton, 1855.	6	32	5	28	11	15	1	54	2	20
23	Wed	Washington's Birth-day, 1732.	6	31	5	29	morn		2	36	2	58
24	Thu	Battle of Buena Vista. (22d and 23d,) 1847. J. Q. Adams died, at Washington, 1848.	6	30	5	30	1	19	3	14	3	30
25	Fri	Boots \$32 a pair in San Francisco, 1850.	6	28	5	32	2	12	3	50	4	12
26	Sat	Robert Fulton died, 1823.	6	27	5	33	3	15	4	36	4	58
27	S	Battle of Sacramento, 1847.	6	25	5	35	3	58	5	30	6	12
28	Mon	Loss of the steamship North America, near Acapulco, 1852.	6	24	5	36	4	40	6	54	7	48
		Moon apogee. Arrival of the first steamship, the California, 1849.	6	23	5	37	5	22	8	35	8	56

The San Francisco ——— says, the Churches have determined to sing no more long metre tunes, they being too slow for the country and people.



THE CAVE OF CALAVERAS is situated on McKinney's Humbug, a creek in Calaveras county, but a short distance above O'Neil's creek, about sixteen miles south by the trail from Mokelumne Hill, and seven miles north of Murphy's Camp, and nine miles from San Andreas. It contains a large number of Caves, of different shapes and sizes; all of which are singular and beautiful, and will well repay a visit.



ENTRANCE TO THE CALAVERAS CAVE.

### PIONEER TRIP OF THE OVERLAND MAIL.

Time made on the Pioneer Trip of the Overland Mail from St. Louis, *via* Los Angeles, to San Francisco: St. Louis, Sept. 16th, 8:30 A. M.; Fort Smith, Sept. 19th, 3:30 A. M.; Colbert's Ferry, Sept. 20th, 3 P. M.; Fort Belknap, Sept. 22d, 1 A. M.; El Paso, Sept. 30th, 5:50 P. M.; Tucson, Oct. 2d, 10 A. M.; Fort Yuma, Oct. 5th, 6:15 A. M.; Los Angeles, Oct. 7th, 2:30 P. M.; San Jose, Oct. 10th, 1 A. M.; San Francisco, Oct. 10th, 8 A. M., 1858.

### FAREWELL.

We do not know how much we Love,  
Until we come to leave;  
An aged tree, a common flower,  
Are things o'er which we grieve;  
There is a pleasure in the pain  
That brings us back the past again.

We linger while we turn away,  
We cling while we depart;  
And memories, unmarked till then,  
Come crowding round the heart.  
Let what will lure our onward way,  
Farewell's a bitter word to say.

"You look as though you were beside yourself," said a wag to a fop, who happened to be standing near by a donkey.

"Well, Pat, Jim didn't quite kill you with that brickbat, did he?" "No, I wish he had." "What for?" "So that I could see him hung."

Dr. Bunting, who has watched the process of digestion through the hole in Alexis St. Martin's stomach, says that hot bread never digests! It tumbles about the stomach until it begins to ferment, and is eventually passed out undigested, as an unwelcome tenant. Think of this, ye hot biscuit eaters! Hot bread is a first-rate dyspepsia producer.



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			H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
1	Tue	Gen. J. A. Sutter born, at Baden, Swit, 1508.	6 22	5 38	5 50	9 23	9 52
2	Wed	Mercantile Library first opened, 1853.	6 21	5 39	sets.	10 19	10 36
3	Thu	Slight shock of an Earthquake in San Francisco, 1854.	6 19	5 41	5 12	10 58	11 22
4	Fri	Capital of the State changed from Benicia to Sacramento, 1854.	6 18	5 42	6 30	11 37	11 52
5	Sat	Inauguration Day of the Presidents of the United States.	6 17	5 43	7 28	0 08	0 20
6	S	James Madison born, 1757.	6 16	5 44	7 58	0 35	0 40
7	Mon	Arrival at Yerba Buena of Col. Stevenson and the New York Volunteers, 1847.	6 15	5 45	8 56	1 05	1 19
8	Tue	Loss of the steamship Tennessee, 1852.	6 13	5 47	10 11	1 35	1 50
9	Wed	Thermometers Invented, 1620.	6 12	5 48	10 15	2 06	2 22
10	Thu	The Cosumnes Indians decided that Chinamen (after drowning one) were not Indians, because they couldn't swim, 1851.	6 11	5 49	11 58	2 40	2 54
11	Fri	Wire first invented, 1410.	6 10	5 50	morn	3 15	3 36
12	Sat	Benj. West, the great Painter, died 1820.	6 09	5 51	2 14	3 54	4 28
13	S	Destructive fire at Nevada, 1851.	6 08	5 52	3 30	4 58	5 40
14	Mon	Galvanism first discovered by Galvani, an Italian, 1790.	6 07	5 53	4 20	6 25	7 19
15	Tue	Cotton first exported from U. States, 1794.	6 06	5 54	4 56	8 08	8 57
16	Wed	Moon Perigee, Treaty with the Cherokee, 1835.	6 05	5 55	5 25	9 23	9 36
17	Thu	Andrew Jackson born, 1757.	6 04	5 56	rises.	10 07	10 35
18	Fri	First Mission founded in California, at San Diego, 1769. Stamp Act repealed, 1736.	6 03	5 57	6 36	10 53	11 32
19	Sat	Rescue of the Donner party of immigrants by Aquila Glover, near Truckee Lake, '47.	6 02	5 58	7 42	11 41	11 59
20	S	Newton died, 1729. Sacramento Union first published, 1851.	6 01	5 59	8 49	0 15	0 34
21	Mon	Birth of John C. Calhoun, 1782.	6 00	6 00	9 58	0 56	1 12
22	Tue	Vernal Equinox.	5 59	6 01	10 09	1 30	1 50
23	Wed	Com. Decatur killed (in a duel) by Com. Barron, 1820.	5 58	6 02	11 53	2 08	2 22
24	Thu	Queen Elizabeth, of England, died 1515.	5 57	6 03	morn	2 40	2 54
25	Fri	Hudson Bay discovered, 1610.	5 56	6 04	1 45	3 19	3 40
26	Sat	First Printing in England, 1471.	5 54	6 06	2 36	3 58	4 25
27	S	Peace declared between France and England, 1802.	5 53	6 07	3 21	4 56	5 36
28	Mon	Moon Apogee.	5 52	6 08	3 49	6 16	7 06
29	Tue	An Army of Occupation, under Gen. Taylor, assembled on the Rio Grande, 1846.	5 51	6 09	4 18	7 48	8 35
30	Wed	Capitulation of Vera Cruz to Gen. Scott, '47.	5 49	6 11	5 20	8 56	9 22
31	Thu	Peace of Utrecht, 1713. John C. Calhoun died, 1850.	5 48	6 12	5 49	4 42	10 03
		First arrival of the Mail in Pacific mail steamship Oregon, 1849.					

## DYING GIRL'S REQUEST.

BY GEORGE BOUDWIN.

Oh! bury me, dear mother  
 In the vale where I was born,  
 Where the whispering brook runs gently by,  
 And the lark pours forth his song,  
 And where the roses' sweet perfume  
 Will waft above my grave;  
 Oh! there, dear mother, bury me  
 'Neath the weeping willow shade.

Oh! bury me, dear mother,  
 In that dear old vale I love,  
 Where oft I've sat till dewy eve,  
 And watched the meek-eyed dove.  
 'Twas there my kind old father died,  
 Ere my heart knew aught of care,  
 Or felt the pangs and cold neglect  
 That the orphan heart must bear.

Oh! bury me, dear mother,  
 In that hallowed vale and blest,  
 Where all the loved of childhood's years  
 Lie low in their dreamless rest.  
 Oh! bury me by my father's side,  
 And let the roses' sweet perfume  
 Laden the zephyrs that shall wave  
 The green grass o'er my tomb.

It is said that an editor in Iowa has become so hollow, from depending on the printing business for bread, that he purposes selling himself for stove-pipe at three cents a foot.

Sin has many tools, but a lie is a handle which fits them all.



MARIO KARMO, A NATIVE INDIAN WOMAN, 105 YRS. OLD.

She belongs to the Mekla tribe, and still lives with her people, near San Diego Altogether, she can boast of being mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, etc., to two hundred and twelve children; twenty-eight of whom are now dead. Her grandchild has grandchildren. Many of these Indians travel to Los Angeles, where they obtain fifty cents per day for gathering grapes that are shipped to San Francisco, and among them occasionally goes this old woman. Last year she carried sixty pounds of beef and other articles of food for a number of miles to an Indian camp, south-east of Los Angeles.

Mr. Fortune remarked that (Miss Fortunes) "Misfortunes never came single," when his wife presented him with twins, both girls.

"I'll take the responsibility," said a parent, as he held out his arms to receive the baby.

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			By WM. SCHMOLZ, Math. Instrument Maker.						
			SUN. RISES. SETS.		MOON. RISES.		HIGH WATER. MORN. EVE.		
			H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	
1	Fri	<b>Chronological Events.</b>	5	47	6	13	sets.	10 25	10 42
2	Sat	First election of County Officers in San Francisco, 1850. All Fool's Day.	5	46	6	14	6 15	10 59	11 15
3	S	Alvarado's surrender, 1847. Thos. Jefferson born, 1743.	5	44	6	16	6 50	11 30	11 47
4	Mon	First Public School opened in San Francisco, 1848. S. F. Branch Mint opened, '54.	5	43	6	17	7 48	11 58	0 16
5	Tue	Harrison died, 1841.	5	42	6	18	8 58	0 32	0 49
6	Wed	Plato died, 347 B. C. Washington elected first President of the United States, 1789.	5	41	6	19	10 15	1 05	1 22
7	Thu	Cast Iron first made in England, 1544.	5	40	6	20	11 20	1 39	1 59
8	Fri	Ohio first settled, 1778.	5	38	6	22	morn	2 08	2 37
9	Sat	Silver first coined in Rome, 269 B. C.	5	37	6	23	1 18	2 59	3 25
10	S	Steamship S. S. Lewis (Nicaragua line) went ashore in Bolinas Bay, 1853.	5	36	6	24	2 18	3 48	4 22
11	Mon	Two shocks of Earthquake in San Francisco, 1854. Explosion of the Jenny Lind, '58.	5	35	6	25	2 54	4 57	5 39
12	Tue	Moon Perigee.	5	34	6	26	3 30	6 29	7 18
13	Wed	Henry Clay born, 1777. Paper first made from cotton rags, 1091.	5	33	6	27	3 58	7 53	8 22
14	Thu	First American School opened in San Francisco, by Mr. Marston, 1847.	5	32	6	28	4 24	8 54	9 25
15	Fri	Handel died, 1759.	5	31	6	29	4 48	9 43	10 08
16	Sat	Rosalie Leese, first white child born in San Francisco, 1833.	5	28	6	32	rises.	10 30	10 56
17	S	Arrival of Thomas O. Larkin in California, 1832.	5	27	6	33	7 36	11 18	11 30
18	Mon	Shakespeare born, 1564. The Telescope invented, 1590.	5	26	6	34	4 44	11 49	0 12
19	Tue	Mission Santa Clara founded, 1777. Franklin died, 1790.	5	25	6	35	9 48	0 28	0 45
20	Wed	Battle of Lexington, 1775.	5	24	6	36	10 48	1 04	1 22
21	Thu	Flying Cloud arrived in eighty-nine days and eight hours from New York, 1854.	5	23	6	37	11 42	1 39	1 56
22	Fri	Gov. Clinton died, 1812.	5	22	6	38	morn	2 18	2 35
23	Sat	First California Legislature convened, 1850. Battle of Cerro Gordo, 1847.	5	21	6	39	1 12	2 52	3 15
24	S	Wreck of Golden Fleece, 1854. Shakespeare died 1616. Cromwell dissolved the Long Parliament, 1647.	5	20	6	40	1 52	3 39	3 58
25	Mon	Moon Apogee.	5	18	6	42	2 18	4 28	4 56
26	Tue	Watches first invented, in Germany, 1499.	5	17	6	43	2 58	5 39	6 19
27	Wed	Louisiana admitted into the Union, 1813.	5	16	6	44	3 12	6 59	7 38
28	Thu	Capture of York, 1813. Vice President King died, 1853.	5	15	6	45	3 30	8 14	4 40
29	Fri	First issue of Placer Times, Sacramento, '49.	5	14	6	46	3 58	8 54	9 21
30	Sat	Last of the Donner party reached Captain Sutter's Fort, 1847.	5	13	6	47	4 26	9 33	9 52
		Washington, first President of the United States, inaugurated 1789.							





SCENE ON THE PLAINS.

An eminent artist, American of course, lately painted a snow-storm so naturally, that, by sitting near it with his coat off, he caught a bad cold!

Every soul is entered, like every house, through its own door.

A pout on a woman's lip shows a bad place in her heart.

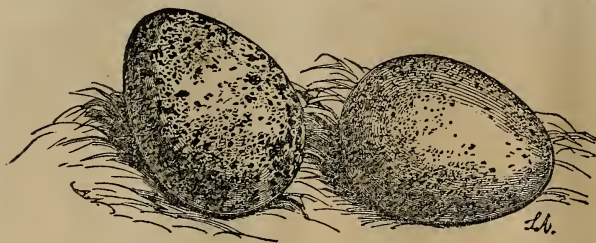
A man in Maine, who had stolen a watch, gave as an excuse that he was unwell, and his physician advised him to *take something*

**PASSENGER STATISTICS.**—A table of arrivals at and departures from San Francisco, for the nine months ending September 30, 1858, published in the Prices Current, gives the total number of arrivals during that period at 30,575, of whom 3,994 were women and 1,066 children; while the departures amounted to 34,752, of whom 1,451 were women and 655 children. From this, it appears that notwithstanding the great rush to Fraser river within the period named, which carried off 24,000 persons, the whole loss of population in the past three-quarters of a year is but four thousand one hundred and eighty.

Beauty, devoid of grace, is a mere hook without the bait. He who cannot feel friendship is alike incapable of love. Let a woman beware of the man who owns that he loves no one but herself.



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			SUN.		MOON.		HIGH WATER.	
			RISES.	SETS.	RISES.	MORN.	EVE.	
			H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	
1	S	Chronological Events. Floating debt of the State funded by Act of the Legislature, 1852.	5 13	6 47	sets	10 10	10 32	
2	Mon	Addison born, 1719. Duke of Wellington born, 1769.	5 12	6 48	7 16	10 50	11 09	
3	Tue	Fifth great fire in San Francisco, 1851—1000 houses destroyed; loss, \$10,000,000.	5 11	6 49	7 56	11 27	11 45	
4	Wed	Second great fire in San Francisco, 1850—loss, \$1,000,000. Sixth great fire, 1851.	5 10	6 50	9 08	11 58	0 22	
5	Thu	[Bonaparte died, 1821.	5 08	6 52	10 13	0 42	1 04	
6	Fri	Second great fire in Stockton, 1851.	5 07	6 53	11 08	1 24	1 45	
7	Sat	Moon Perigee.	5 06	6 54	11 54	2 07	2 29	
8	S	Gen. Worth died, 1849.	5 05	6 55	morn	2 54	3 25	
9	Mon	Battle of Palo Alto—Gen. Taylor defeats the Mexicans, 1846.	5 04	6 56	0 47	3 56	4 27	
10	Tue	California discovered by Zimines, a Spaniard, 1534.	5 03	6 57	1 25	4 59	5 39	
11	Wed	Astor Place riots, in New York, 1819.	5 02	6 58	1 52	6 21	6 56	
12	Thu	Astronomical observations first made at Babylon, in the year of the world 2234.	5 01	6 59	2 22	7 30	8 12	
13	Fri	Great fire at Yreka, 1854.	5 00	7 01	2 47	8 40	8 58	
14	Sat	War declared by the United States against Mexico, 1846.	4 59	7 01	3 12	9 22	9 36	
15	S	James King of Wm., editor of the Evening Bulletin, shot by James P. Casey, 1856.	4 59	7 01	3 42	9 50	10 27	
16	Mon	[Third great fire in San Francisco, 1850.	4 58	7 02	rises.	10 42	11 09	
17	Tue	Formation of Vigilance Committee of 1856.	4 57	7 03	8 32	11 28	11 48	
18	Wed	First steam Printing Press brought to California, 1850. Arrival at San Francisco of the first clipper (Gray Eagle), 1849.	4 56	7 04	9 36	0 09	0 27	
19	Thu	Great fire in St. Louis, 1819.	4 55	7 05	10 24	0 45	1 04	
20	Fri	Casey and Cora taken out of Jail on Sunday by the Vigilance Committee, 1856.	4 55	7 05	11 08	1 18	1 39	
21	Sat	Lafayette died, 1834.	4 54	7 06	11 42	1 50	2 18	
22	S	Death of James King of Wm., 1856.	4 53	7 07	morn	2 34	2 59	
23	Mon	Copper money first used in Scotland, 1399.	4 52	7 08	0 40	3 19	3 36	
24	Tue	Funeral of James King of Wm. Casey and Cora executed by Vig. Committee, 1856.	4 51	7 09	1 12	4 00	4 25	
25	Wed	[Moon Apogee.	4 51	7 09	1 30	4 58	5 23	
26	Thu	Gen. Putnam died, 1790.	4 50	7 10	1 55	6 02	6 32	
27	Fri	Habeas Corpus Act first passed, 1699.	4 49	7 11	2 22	7 08	7 37	
28	Sat	Third great fire in Marysville, 1854.	4 48	7 12	2 52	8 01	8 30	
29	S	Charter of the first Bank of North America, approved by Congress, 1790.	4 47	7 13	3 36	8 50	9 23	
30	Mon	Pope died, 1744.	4 47	7 13	3 56	9 48	10 02	
31	Tue	Patrick Henry born, 1736.	4 46	7 14	sets.	10 18	10 40	
		Stage first crossed the Sierras to Honey Lake, from Oroville, 1857.						
		Treaty of Peace ratified between the United States and Mexico, 1848, by which Upper California was ceded to the United States.						
		Stony Point taken, 1779.						



EGGS OF THE CALIFORNIA QUAIL—NATURAL SIZE.

An Irishman, who had just landed, said,—  
“the first bit of meat he ever ate in this country, was a roasted potato—boiled yesterday. And if you don't believe me, I can show it to you, for I have it in my pocket.”

### THE OFFICIAL VOTE.

Below will be found the official vote of the State on the 1st day of September, as published in the *Sacramento Union*. In addition, we will remark that the Secretary of State declined canvassing the returns for members of Congress or Clerk of the Supreme Court, as the vote is considered illegal and superfluous. As far as can be gathered, the following has been cast: Members of Congress—McKibben, 31,833; Dudley, 22,910; Tracy, 9,293. For Clerk of Supreme Court—Jennings, 27,221:

COUNTIES.	JUS. SUP. CT. CONTROLLER.					COUNTIES.	JUS. SUP. CT. CONTROLLER.				
	Baldwin.	Curry.	Meloney.	Dawley.	Gunn.		Baldwin.	Curry.	Meloney.	Dawley.	Gunn.
Alameda.....	786	\$ 724	800	189	522	San Francisco....	2,963	5,621	2,868	2,258	3,337
Amador.....	1,260	1,716	1,237	1,647	59	San Joaquin.....	308	204	309	119	83
Butte.....	817	1,952	320	1,980	262	San Luis Obispo..	1,237	894	1,245	773	118
Calaveras.....	2,298	1,365	2,273	1,345	22	San Mateo.....	256	4	257	....	3
Colusa.....	312	101	313	88	9	Santa Barbara....	313	1	297	....	2
Contra Costa....	488	391	567	277	12	Santa Clara.....	1,064	627	1,060	300	330
Del Norte.....	330	75	334	64	6	Santa Cruz.....	371	388	366	380	4
El Dorado.....	2,607	2,638	2,610	2,037	554	Shasta.....	1,017	441	1,014	481	5
Fresno.....	243	1	241	....	1	Sierra.....	2,439	1,586	2,411	1,486	100
Humboldt.....	239	364	228	338	34	Siskiyou.....	1,563	1,136	1,544	1,094	....
Klamath.....	591	81	592	73	2	Solano.....	895	827	1,080	502	31
Los Angeles.....	1,410	36	1,408	....	37	Sonoma.....	1,812	1,070	1,932	779	131
Marin.....	480	90	486	67	16	Stanislaus.....	233	63	240	59	3
Mariposa.....	1,141	154	1,191	43	63	Sutter.....	583	147	579	66	80
Merced.....	236	9	231	7	2	Tehama.....	822	95	816	78	14
Monterey.....	278	342	284	311	21	Trinity.....	802	617	774	574	....
Napa.....	563	635	570	578	3	Tulare.....	431	28	445	....	9
Nevada.....	2,065	2,535	2,599	2,254	250	Tuolumne.....	2,535	1,582	2,546	1,094	446
Placer.....	2,168	1,796	2,135	1,300	376	Yolo.....	582	422	519	420	....
Plumas.....	681	793	690	726	45	Yuba.....	1,689	1,838	1,657	1,494	350
Sacramento.....	2,249	2,788	2,524	2,526	131						
San Bernardino..	502	10	495	2	10	Total.....	44,599	36,198	44,285	27,759	7,481
San Diego.....	185	17	802	....	....						

An editor, in his valedictory, says: “If we have offended any man in the short but brilliant course of our career, let him send us in a new hat, and say nothing about it.”

JUN MONTH	DAY OF WEEK.	Moon's Phases, San Francisco. First Quarter, 7d 2h 40m, evening. Full Moon, 15d 2h 12m, morning. Last Quarter, 23d 6h 22m, morning. New Moon, 30d 6h 23m, morning.	Sun and Tide Table.				
			By Wm. SCHMOLZ, Math. Instrument Maker.				
			SUN.		MOON.	HIGH WATER.	
			RISES.	SETS.	RISES.	MORN.	EVE.
			H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
1	Wed	San Francisco Herald first published, 1850.	4 46	7 14	7 50	10 58	11 20
2	Thu	In 1817 San Francisco contained about 800 inhabitants.	4 46	7 14	8 54	11 44	0 05
3	Fri	St. Paul's Church, London, burned down, 1561.	4 45	7 15	9 54	0 26	0 50
4	Sat	San Francisco declared by the Governor in insurrection, 1856. Moon Perigee.	4 45	7 15	10 48	1 16	1 41
5	S	Great fire at Auburn, 1855.	4 45	7 15	11 26	2 05	2 29
6	Mon	Shore of San Francisco Bay on Montgomery street, 1849.	4 44	7 16	11 54	2 56	3 25
7	Tue	Washing six dollars per dozen, in San Francisco, 1849.	4 44	7 16	morn	3 52	4 21
8	Wed	Andrew Jackson died, 1845. Gen. Taylor died, 1850.	4 44	7 16	0 42	4 50	5 22
9	Thu	Cholera first made its appearance in the United States, 1832.	4 44	7 16	1 18	5 52	6 25
10	Fri	First public movement of San Francisco Vigilance Committee, 1851.	4 43	7 17	1 35	6 58	7 29
11	Sat	John Jenkins hung by Vigilance Committee, 1851.	4 43	7 17	2 06	7 54	8 31
12	S	United States army withdrawn from the City of Mexico, 1848.	4 43	7 17	2 48	9 02	9 22
13	Mon	Battle of Ghent, 1794.	4 43	7 17	3 37	9 32	9 58
14	Tue	Bear Flag first hoisted at Sonoma, 1846.	4 42	7 18	4 29	10 23	10 48
15	Wed	Sonoma taken possession of by Fremont, 1846. James K. Polk died, 1849.	4 42	7 18	rises.	11 11	11 32
16	Thu	Large fire in Drytown, Amador county, 1857.	4 42	7 18	8 52	11 54	0 12
17	Fri	Battle of Bunker Hill, 1775. War declared with Great Britain, 1812.	4 42	7 18	9 42	0 34	0 52
18	Sat	Battle of Waterloo, 1815. Great fire at Sonora, 1852. Moon Apogee.	4 41	7 19	10 19	1 09	1 26
19	S	Thirty-nine thousand emigrants had passed Fort Laramie, 1850.	4 41	7 19	10 47	1 46	2 06
20	Mon	Second great fire at Shasta, 1853.	4 41	7 19	11 12	2 18	2 38
21	Tue	Hopkins stabbed by Judge Terry. Vig. Com. took the arms in all the city armories, '56.	4 41	7 19	11 59	2 53	3 16
22	Wed	Mission of San Francisco founded, 1776.	4 41	7 19	morn	3 35	3 59
23	Thu	Seventh great fire in San Francisco, 1851.	4 42	7 18	0 47	4 17	4 40
24	Fri	Gen. Green died, 1786. Akenside died, 1772.	4 42	7 18	1 18	5 03	5 35
25	Sat	Shares in the United States Bank sold at 89 to 90, 1819.	4 42	7 18	1 56	6 03	6 30
26	S	Bunker Hill Monument finished, 1842.	4 42	7 18	2 44	7 01	7 32
27	Mon	Washington appointed Commander in Chief of the U. S. army by Congress, 1798.	4 43	7 17	3 40	8 05	8 40
28	Tue	Arrival at San Francisco of the first Spanish Mission expedition, 1776.	4 43	7 17	3 56	8 59	9 25
29	Wed	Rough and Ready destroyed by fire, 1853.	4 43	7 17	sets.	9 40	10 09
30	Thu	Henry Clay died, 1852.	4 44	7 16	7 30	10 35	10 58
		Printing first invented by Faust, 1441.					
		Montezuma died, 1520.					





THE CALIFORNIA DIGGER INDIANS BURNING THEIR DEAD.

The California Indians believe in a vast and pleasant camping ground somewhere westward, where Indians live together in perpetual ease and plenty, and which is presided over by a great spirit of unspeakable goodness. They believe also in an evil spirit, who is constantly watching every opportunity to injure them, and who, having the power to keep them out of heaven, it is their duty, by conciliation or stratagem, to thwart. They believe, also, that the *heart* is immortal; that while the body is burning the heart leaps out, and, if by noises or motions they can attract the evil spirit's attention, the heart escapes to its haven of rest and is forever safe; but, if the body is buried, the evil one keeps continual guard over the grave, and when the heart would escape it is made prisoner, and is thenceforth employed to annoy their living relatives. When an Indian is known to be dying, his head is lifted gently upon the lap of some dear friend and his eyes softly closed; while those who are standing around recite, in a low monotonous chaunt, the virtues of the dying, changed to a mournful wailing as soon as the heart has ceased to beat—apostrophizing the spirit of the departed. The corpse is now prepared for burning, the knees being forced to-

ward the chin upon the breast, and the limbs and body bound firmly together, into the smallest possible compass; it is then wrapped in a blanket, and placed upon the back on the ground, with the face exposed; every sound is hushed, and both men and women sit in silent groups around the corpse for about twenty minutes, when all simultaneously rise—the women to renew their wailing, the men to build the funeral pyre. When this is about two feet in height, every sound again ceases, and, amid a death-like stillness, the men lift the corpse upon the pyre, after which it is covered with firewood. The oldest and dearest relative then advances with a torch and fires the pile. When the first curl of smoke is visible, the discordant howlings of the women become almost appalling. The men stand in sullen silence; while the relatives, having poles in their hands, commence a frantic dance around the body, occasionally turning it over that it may consume more speedily, giving the heart a better chance to escape, while, with waving of cloths and hideous noises, they are attracting the attention of the evil one. Meanwhile all the personal property of the deceased is cast into the fire, his relatives frequently adding their own valuables.



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			SUN.		MOON.		HIGH WATER.					
			RISES.	SETS.	RISES.	MORN.	MORN.	EVE.				
Chronological Events.			H.	M.	H.	M.	H.	M.	H.	M.		
1	Frid	Hutchings' California Magazine first published, 1856.	4	44	7	16	8	39	11	24	11	54
2	Sat	Arrival of John A. Sutter in California, 1839.	4	44	7	16	9	17	0	20	0	45
3	S	Moon Perigee. First American built house completed in San Fran., by J. P. Leese, '36.	4	44	7	16	9	54	1	12	1	36
4	Mon	First meeting of Americans at Sonoma, '46, called by Fremont. Independence, 1776.	4	45	7	15	10	20	1	54	2	25
5	Tue	Battle of Chippewa, 1814.	4	45	7	15	10	48	2	47	3	11
6	Wed	San Francisco seized by Commodores Sloat and Montgomery, 1846.	4	45	7	15	11	19	3	35	3	54
7	Thu	Great fire at Placerville, El Dorado county, 1856.	4	46	7	14	11	51	4	27	4	50
8	Frid	American Flag first hoisted on the Plaza of Yerba Buena, now San Francisco, by Capt. Montgomery, of the United States sloop-of-war Portsmouth, 1846.	4	46	7	14	morn	5	18	5	43	
9	Sat	John Q. Adams born, 1767. Gen. Z. Taylor died, 1850.	4	46	7	14	0	52	6	14	6	45
10	S	Hanging of James Stuart by Vigilance Committee, 1851.	4	47	7	13	1	38	7	16	7	52
11	Mon	No white printing paper to be found in market, 1852.	4	47	7	13	2	22	8	25	9	06
12	Tue	Second great fire in Sacramento, 1854.	4	48	7	12	3	14	9	22	9	40
13	Wed	Stony Point taken, 1779. Battle of Prague, 1420.	4	48	7	12	3	54	10	08	10	35
14	Thu	The "Hounds," a society of robbers, in San Francisco, arrested, 1849.	4	49	7	11	rises.	10	59	11	20	
15	Frid	Moon Apogee.	4	49	7	11	8	18	11	40	11	54
16	Sat	Over 500 vessels in the harbor of San Francisco, chiefly ships, wanting crews, 1851.	4	50	7	10	8	47	0	19	0	38
17	S	Battle of Warsaw, 1656.	4	51	7	09	9	12	0	54	1	10
18	Mon	The great fire in Nevada, 1856.	4	52	7	08	9	42	1	24	1	42
19	Tue	Gibraltar taken by the British, 1704.	4	53	7	07	9	53	1	58	2	14
20	Wed	Robert Burns died, 1779.	4	54	7	06	10	24	2	30	2	46
21	Thu	Michigan Bluffs, Placer county, destroyed by fire, 1857.	4	54	7	06	10	48	3	06	3	19
22	Frid	First German Festival in California, 1857.	4	55	7	05	11	16	3	42	3	58
23	Sat	John Newton born, 1725.	4	56	7	04	11	57	4	19	4	40
24	S	St. Louis, Sierra county, destroyed a second time by fire, 1857.	4	57	7	03	morn	5	05	5	32	
25	Mon	Coleridge, the Poet, died, 1834.	4	58	7	02	1	22	6	04	6	42
26	Tue	Fourth great fire in Marysville, 1854.	4	59	7	01	2	29	7	22	8	01
27	Wed	First California Guards, organized, 1849.	4	59	7	01	3	35	8	39	9	18
28	Thu	Moon Perigee.	5	00	7	00	4	14	9	32	9	54
29	Frid	William Penn died, 1718.	5	01	6	59	sets.	10	25	10	55	
30	Sat	French Revolution of 1830 successful.	5	02	6	58	7	42	11	20	11	47
31	S		5	03	6	57	8	10	0	18	0	36

**HOW TO MAKE GOOD BREAD.** — Provide a covered tin bucket, in size according to family; half fill it with yeast; then stir in flour and tepid water until it is nearly full and about the consistency of batter; let this stand in a warm place for a few hours. When you require to make up your bread, take half the contents of the yeast bucket and pour it into the flour; then mix a portion of saleratus, one small teaspoonful to a quart of yeast, and salt to suit the palate, with a little tepid water; pour this into the yeast in the flour, and then stir it well. If you wish to make it with "shortening," warm your butter or lard and pour it into your yeast; knead the whole well together; keep warm, not hot, until it rises; bake in a quick oven.



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### TEN MINUTES MORE.

I'll stay with thee ten minutes more,  
And then, my girl, I must away.  
Love's vigil hour should soon be o'er,  
For night is beckoning on the day.  
I drew her hand within my own,  
Kissed her good-night, turned to the door—  
She asked me: "What! so soon art gone?  
O, stay with me ten minutes more!"

Ten minutes more! Who kept the time?  
Not those who gave kept kisses, sure!  
Yet kiss and tick kept pretty chime,  
As if each would the other lure.  
And as the clock, half pettishly,  
Chimed out the hour—one, two, three, four—  
I left her, while she seemed to say,  
"Would you could stay ten minutes more!"

"Mike, why don't you fire at those ducks, boy; don't you see you have got the whole flock before your gun?"

"I know I have, but when I get good aim at one, two or three others will swim right up betwixt it and me."

8th Month.

AUGUST, 1859.

31 Days.

DAY OF MONTH	DAY OF WEEK	Moon's Phases, San Francisco. First Quarter, 5d 7h 13m, morning. Full Moon, 13d 8h 26m, morning. Last Quarter, 21d 5h 38m, morning. New Moon, 27d 9h 6m, evening.	Sun and Tide Table.							
			By WM. SCHMOLZ, Math. Instrument Maker.							
			SUN		MOON		HIGH WATER.			
			RISES.	SETS.	RISES.	MORN.	EVE.			
		Chronological Events.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	
1	Mon	First issue of the Pacific, a religious California newspaper, 1851.	5 04	6 56	8 52	0 56	1 20			
2	Tue	Town of Bidwell destroyed by fire, 1854.	5 05	6 55	9 22	1 43	2 05			
3	Wed	First Presbyterian Church, in Marysville, dedicated, 1851.	5 06	6 54	9 48	2 22	2 45			
4	Thu	General Burgoyne died, 1792.	5 07	6 53	10 19	3 08	3 29			
5	Frid	First Protestant Church in California dedicated by the Baptists, 1849.	5 08	6 52	10 50	3 48	4 12			
6	Sat	First issue of the Marysville Herald, 1850.	5 09	6 51	11 36	4 32	4 52			
7	S	Ben Jonson died, 1637. George Canning died, 1827.	5 10	6 50	morn	5 22	5 59			
8	Mon	Greenwich Observatory founded, 1814.	5 11	6 49	1 10	6 36	7 18			
9	Tue	Thermometer stood, in Mariposa, at 120 degrees, 1857.	5 12	6 48	2 08	7 54	8 31			
10	Wed	Battle of Queenstown, 1814.	5 13	6 47	2 54	8 58	9 18			
11	Thu	First car placed upon the first Railroad in California, 1855.	5 14	6 46	3 53	9 54	10 17			
12	Frid	Moon Apogee. J. A. Sutter settled on the American river, near Sutter's Fort, 1833.	5 15	6 45	rises.	10 48	11 07			
13	Sat	Com. Stockton took possession of Los Angeles, 1846.	5 16	6 44	7 20	11 26	11 45			
14	S	Squatter Riot in Sacramento City, 1850.	5 17	6 43	7 42	11 54	0 18			
15	Mon	First newspaper (the Californian) issued in Cal., by Colton & Semple, Monterey, 1846.	5 18	6 42	8 10	0 30	0 42			
16	Tue	President Tyler vetoed the U. S. Fiscal Bank bill, 1841.	5 19	6 41	8 30	1 02	1 18			
17	Wed	Delegates assembled in Salem, Oregon, to form a State Constitution, 1857.	5 20	6 40	8 52	1 31	1 44			
18	Thu	Gen. Kearny occupied Santa Fe, 1846.	5 21	6 39	9 22	1 58	2 13			
19	Frid	Disbanding of Vigilance Committee, 1856.	5 22	6 38	9 50	2 29	2 45			
20	Sat	Fulton's steamboat successful, 1807.	5 23	6 37	10 28	3 05	3 18			
21	S	Great fire at Mokelumne Hill, 1854.	5 24	6 36	11 18	3 40	4 06			
22	Mon	Battle of Contreras and Cherubusco, 1847.	5 25	6 35	morn	4 25	4 52			
23	Tue	Dr. Adam Clark died, 1832.	5 26	6 34	1 15	5 26	6 10			
24	Wed	Formation of the Society of California Pioneers, 1850.	5 27	6 33	2 30	6 52	7 42			
25	Thu	Public Buildings, at Washington, burnt by the British, August 24th, 1814.	5 28	6 32	3 40	8 29	8 52			
26	Frid	Whitaker and McKenzie hung by Vigilance Committee, 1851.	5 29	6 31	4 54	9 21	9 41			
27	Sat	Columbia, Tuolumne county, destroyed a second time by fire, 1857.	5 30	6 30	sets.	10 15	10 40			
28	S	Moon Perigee. Louis Phillippe died, 1850; aged 77 years.	5 32	6 28	6 50	11 09	11 29			
29	Mon	Battle of Long Island, 1776.	5 33	6 27	7 24	11 54	0 13			
30	Tue	Stage coaches first used, 1590.	5 34	6 26	7 50	0 35	0 56			
31	Wed	Professor Webster executed, Boston, 1850.	5 35	6 25	8 18	1 19	1 36			
		Battle of Rhode Island, 1778.								
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			RISES.	SETS.	RISES.	MORN.	EVE.	
		<b>Chronological Events.</b>	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	
1	Thu	Convention of Delegates met at Monterey to frame a State Constitution, 1849.	5 36	6 24	9 15	1 56	2 10	
2	Frid	California honorably voted to pay her great debt, contracted by dishonest officers, '57.	5 37	6 23	9 30	2 34	2 51	
3	Sat	Cromwell died, 1658.	5 38	6 22	10 08	3 12	3 32	
4	S	First illustrated newspaper published in California, by Thomas Armstrong, 1850.	5 40	6 20	10 54	3 54	4 18	
5	Mon	Meeting of the Continental Congress, 1774.	5 41	6 19	11 58	4 45	5 17	
6	Tue	First brick house commenced in San Francisco, by Mellus & Howard, 1818.	5 42	6 18	morn	5 58	6 42	
7	Wed	Opening of the first Industrial Exhibition of the Mechanics' Institute in San Fran., '57.	5 43	6 17	0 48	7 32	8 12	
8	Thu	Moon Apogee. Renewal of hostilities by the Mexicans, 1847.	5 44	6 16	1 22	8 59	9 25	
9	Frid	California admitted into the Union, 1850.	5 45	6 15	2 10	9 46	10 03	
10	Sat	Perry's victory on Lake Erie, 1813.	5 46	6 14	2 53	10 22	10 40	
11	S	Macdonough's victory on Lake Champlain, 1814.	5 47	6 13	3 56	11 02	11 15	
12	Mon	Loss of the steamer Central America and four hundred returning Californians, 1857.	5 49	6 11	rises.	11 35	11 45	
13	Tue	Duke of Wellington died, (Sept. 14), 1852.	5 51	6 09	6 53	11 58	0 10	
14	Wed	Grass Valley destroyed by fire, 1851.	5 52	6 08	7 39	0 27	0 41	
15	Thu	Aaron Burr died, 1836; aged 80.	5 53	6 07	7 52	0 54	1 10	
16	Frid	Surrender of the city of Mexico, 1847.	5 54	6 06	8 36	1 29	1 40	
17	Sat	Adjournment of the Vigilance Committee of 1851.	5 54	6 06	8 36	1 29	1 40	
18	S	Fourth great fire in San Francisco, 1850.	5 55	6 05	9 12	1 56	2 10	
19	Mon	President Jackson's manifesto read to the Cabinet, 1832.	5 56	6 04	9 57	2 34	2 48	
20	Tue	Publication of the first Directory in California, by Charles P. Kimball, 1851.	5 57	6 03	10 56	3 14	3 30	
21	Wed	First work printed in the English language, 1471.	5 58	6 02	11 58	3 56	4 29	
22	Thu	Lower California discovered by Grigalon, a Spaniard, from Mexico, 1534.	5 59	6 01	morn	5 09	5 51	
23	Frid	First passenger stage started by Jas. Birch, to Mormon Island, 1849.	6 00	6 00	0 35	6 44	7 30	
24	Sat	First message by Telegraph, in California, sent to Point Lobos, 1853.	6 01	5 59	1 38	8 22	8 56	
25	S	Moon Perigee. Major Andre taken, 1780.	6 02	5 58	2 38	9 23	9 30	
26	Mon	Paul Jones captured the Serapis, 1779.	6 03	5 57	3 31	9 58	10 20	
27	Tue	Philadelphia taken, 1777.	6 04	5 56	4 19	10 48	11 06	
28	Wed	Pacific Ocean discovered by Balboa, 1513.	6 05	5 55	sets.	11 30	11 46	
29	Thu	Great Earthquake in Tuscany, 1798.	6 06	5 54	6 54	0 10	0 25	
30	Frid	The first steamer (the Pioneer) made her trial trip, 1849.	6 07	5 53	7 30	0 49	1 05	
		Organization of the Sons of Temperance in San Francisco, 1850.	6 08	5 52	8 12	1 28	1 40	

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OCTOBER, 1859.

31 Days.

| DAY OF MONTH. | DAY OF WEEK. | Moon's Phases, San Francisco.<br>First Quarter, 3d 0h 22m, evening.<br>Full Moon, 11d 8h 45m, evening.<br>Last Quarter, 18d 9h 34m, evening.<br>New Moon, 25d 0h 24m, evening. | Sun and Tide Table.<br>By Wm. SCHMOLZ, Math. Instrument Maker. |       |        |       |             |       |
|---------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------------|-------|
|               |              |                                                                                                                                                                                | SUN.                                                           |       | MOON.  |       | HIGH WATER. |       |
|               |              |                                                                                                                                                                                | RISES.                                                         | SETS. | RISES. | MORN. | EVE.        |       |
|               |              |                                                                                                                                                                                | H. M.                                                          | H. M. | H. M.  | H. M. | H. M.       | H. M. |
| 1             | Sat          | <b>Chronological Events.</b><br>Wreck of the steamer Yankee Blade, 1854.                                                                                                       | 6 09                                                           | 5 51  | 8 48   | 2 05  | 2 20        |       |
| 2             | S            | Opening of the first Railroad in the United States, 1833.                                                                                                                      | 6 10                                                           | 5 50  | 9 42   | 2 43  | 3 04        |       |
| 3             | Mon          | America re-discovered by Columbus, 1492.                                                                                                                                       | 6 11                                                           | 5 49  | 10 44  | 3 28  | 3 43        |       |
| 4             | Tue          | Black Hawk died, 1838. Battle of German-town, 1777.                                                                                                                            | 6 13                                                           | 5 47  | 11 45  | 4 15  | 4 46        |       |
| 5             | Wed          | Edgar A. Poe died, 1849.                                                                                                                                                       | 6 14                                                           | 5 46  | morn   | 5 29  | 6 10        |       |
| 6             | Thu          | Moon Perigee.                                                                                                                                                                  | 6 16                                                           | 5 44  | 0 19   | 6 58  | 7 35        |       |
| 7             | Frid         | Louis Philippe born, 1773.                                                                                                                                                     | 6 17                                                           | 5 43  | 1 15   | 8 21  | 8 53        |       |
| 8             | Sat          | Issue of the first number of the S. F. Evening Bulletin, Jas. King of Wm., editor, '55.                                                                                        | 6 18                                                           | 5 42  | 2 15   | 9 21  | 9 30        |       |
| 9             | S            | The steamer McKim made her first voyage to Sacramento, 1849.                                                                                                                   | 6 19                                                           | 5 41  | 2 54   | 9 47  | 10 02       |       |
| 10            | Mon          | Arrival of the first Overland Mail in San Francisco, from St. Louis, via Los Angeles, in 23 days and 21 hours, 1858.                                                           | 6 20                                                           | 5 40  | 3 37   | 10 25 | 10 35       |       |
| 11            | Tue          | Napoleon landed at St. Helena, 1815.                                                                                                                                           | 6 21                                                           | 5 39  | 4 39   | 10 50 | 11 09       |       |
| 12            | Wed          | Constitution of California signed by every member of the Convention, 1849.                                                                                                     | 6 22                                                           | 5 38  | rises. | 11 25 | 11 36       |       |
| 13            | Thu          | Brock killed, 1812.                                                                                                                                                            | 6 24                                                           | 5 36  | 6 32   | 11 50 | 0 11        |       |
| 14            | Frid         | First Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons organized in California, 1849.                                                                                                         | 6 25                                                           | 5 35  | 7 19   | 0 29  | 0 41        |       |
| 15            | Sat          | The Bensley Water Company introduced water into San Francisco, 1858.                                                                                                           | 6 26                                                           | 5 34  | 8 40   | 0 57  | 1 14        |       |
| 16            | S            | Battle of Leipsic, 1813. Murat shot, 1815.                                                                                                                                     | 6 27                                                           | 5 33  | 8 54   | 1 30  | 1 51        |       |
| 17            | Mon          | Burgoyne's surrender, 1777.                                                                                                                                                    | 6 28                                                           | 5 32  | 10 02  | 2 12  | 2 33        |       |
| 18            | Tue          | The Oregon arrived with news of the admission of California into the Union, 1850.                                                                                              | 6 29                                                           | 5 31  | 11 04  | 2 59  | 3 20        |       |
| 19            | Wed          | The Donati Comet of 1858, nearly invisible.                                                                                                                                    | 6 30                                                           | 5 30  | 11 56  | 3 58  | 4 24        |       |
| 20            | Thu          | Burr's trial terminated at Richmond, 1807.                                                                                                                                     | 6 32                                                           | 5 28  | 1 15   | 5 12  | 5 52        |       |
| 21            | Frid         | Severe shock of an Earthquake, 1854.                                                                                                                                           | 6 33                                                           | 5 27  | 1 50   | 6 39  | 7 20        |       |
| 22            | Sat          | Moon Perigee.                                                                                                                                                                  | 6 34                                                           | 5 26  | 2 42   | 7 52  | 8 28        |       |
| 23            | S            | Battle of Red Bank, 1777.                                                                                                                                                      | 6 35                                                           | 5 25  | 3 40   | 8 54  | 9 18        |       |
| 24            | Mon          | First telegraphic communication between San Francisco and Marysville, 1853.                                                                                                    | 6 36                                                           | 5 24  | 3 54   | 9 31  | 9 54        |       |
| 25            | Tue          | Perry bombards Tampico, 1846.                                                                                                                                                  | 6 38                                                           | 5 22  | 4 43   | 10 18 | 10 40       |       |
| 26            | Wed          | Battle of White Plains, 1777.                                                                                                                                                  | 6 39                                                           | 5 21  | sets.  | 11 01 | 11 20       |       |
| 27            | Thu          | The first graduation of young ladies on the Pacific, at the Benicia Young Ladies' Seminary, Miss Mary Atkins, Principal; graduated, four pupils, 1857.                         | 6 40                                                           | 5 20  | 6 36   | 11 43 | 0 02        |       |
| 28            | Frid         |                                                                                                                                                                                | 6 42                                                           | 5 18  | 7 35   | 0 21  | 0 41        |       |
| 29            | Sat          | Locke, the Philosopher, died, 1704.                                                                                                                                            | 6 43                                                           | 5 17  | 8 32   | 1 03  | 1 18        |       |
| 30            | S            | Bonaparte sailed for Elba, 1814.                                                                                                                                               | 6 44                                                           | 5 16  | 8 59   | 1 35  | 1 56        |       |
| 31            | Mon          | Gen. Kearny died, aged 54, 1848.                                                                                                                                               | 6 45                                                           | 5 15  | 9 30   | 2 18  | 2 36        |       |



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|                       |              |                                                                                                                                                                               | SUN.                                                           |       | MOON.  | HIGH WATER. |       |  |
|                       |              |                                                                                                                                                                               | RISES.                                                         | SETS. | RISES. | MORN.       | EVE.  |  |
| Chronological Events. |              |                                                                                                                                                                               | H. M.                                                          | H. M. | H. M.  | H. M.       | H. M. |  |
| 1                     | Tue          | Rev. T. D. Hunt preached the first sermon in California, 1818.                                                                                                                | 6 45                                                           | 5 15  | 10 15  | 3 00        | 3 20  |  |
| 2                     | Wed          | Moon Apogee.                                                                                                                                                                  | 6 46                                                           | 5 14  | 11 08  | 3 47        | 4 15  |  |
| 3                     | Thu          | Great fire at Sacramento; nearly two thousand buildings destroyed, 1852.                                                                                                      | 6 47                                                           | 5 13  | 11 56  | 4 46        | 5 25  |  |
| 4                     | Frid         | Erie Canal celebration, 1825.                                                                                                                                                 | 6 48                                                           | 5 12  | morn   | 6 08        | 6 40  |  |
| 5                     | Sat          | Gouverneur Morris died, 1816.                                                                                                                                                 | 6 49                                                           | 5 11  | 2 03   | 7 18        | 7 52  |  |
| 6                     | S            | Martin Van Buren born, 1782.                                                                                                                                                  | 6 50                                                           | 5 10  | 2 48   | 8 25        | 8 42  |  |
| 7                     | Mon          | Second great fire in Marysville, 1852.                                                                                                                                        | 6 51                                                           | 5 09  | 3 33   | 9 00        | 9 18  |  |
| 8                     | Tue          | Foundation of Mission Dolores, 1776.                                                                                                                                          | 6 52                                                           | 5 08  | 4 23   | 9 36        | 9 56  |  |
| 9                     | Wed          | Wreck of the ship Lucas, on the Farallones Islands, and loss of 23 lives, when returning from Fraser river, 1858.                                                             | 6 53                                                           | 5 07  | 4 57   | 10 15       | 10 35 |  |
| 10                    | Thu          | Birth of Mar. et, 507.                                                                                                                                                        | 6 54                                                           | 5 06  | rises. | 11 50       | 11 12 |  |
| 11                    | Frid         | Montreal take. 775.                                                                                                                                                           | 6 55                                                           | 5 05  | 6 08   | 11 25       | 11 48 |  |
| 12                    | Sat          | Steamer Cortes arrived from Victoria with 1000 disappoint Fraser-river-ites, 1858.                                                                                            | 6 56                                                           | 5 04  | 7 16   | 0 02        | 0 25  |  |
| 13                    | S            | First General Elect in California, 1849.                                                                                                                                      | 6 57                                                           | 5 03  | 8 21   | 0 42        | 1 01  |  |
| 14                    | Mon          | Tampico occupied by Gen. Connor, 1846.                                                                                                                                        | 6 58                                                           | 5 02  | 9 27   | 1 20        | 1 45  |  |
| 15                    | Tue          | Letters and passengers arrived in San Francisco, from New Orleans, via Tehuantepec, in 14 days and 17 hours, 1858.                                                            | 6 59                                                           | 5 01  | 10 25  | 2 04        | 2 25  |  |
| 16                    | Wed          | Moon Perigee. First steamboat in California made her trial trip on the Bay, 1818.                                                                                             | 7 00                                                           | 5 00  | 11 25  | 2 54        | 3 21  |  |
| 17                    | Thu          | Tea Destroyed at Boston, (Nov. 16.) 1773.                                                                                                                                     | 7 01                                                           | 4 59  | morn   | 3 50        | 4 28  |  |
| 18                    | Frid         | Commencement of another gold excitement for the Gila river, 1858.                                                                                                             | 7 02                                                           | 4 58  | 0 27   | 4 56        | 5 39  |  |
| 19                    | Sat          | The Limantour claim to the land on which San Francisco is built, decided to be a forgery, by Judge Hoffman, 1858.                                                             | 7 03                                                           | 4 57  | 1 30   | 6 17        | 6 57  |  |
| 20                    | S            | Peace with Great Britain, 1814.                                                                                                                                               | 7 04                                                           | 4 56  | 2 30   | 7 28        | 8 06  |  |
| 21                    | Mon          | First issue of the San Francisco Daily Morning Chronicle, 1853.                                                                                                               | 7 05                                                           | 4 55  | 3 36   | 8 30        | 8 56  |  |
| 22                    | Tue          | The Telegraph Line completed across the Sierras to Genoa, in Carson Valley, 1858.                                                                                             | 7 06                                                           | 4 54  | 4 08   | 9 22        | 9 32  |  |
| 23                    | Wed          | St. Clement's Day.                                                                                                                                                            | 7 07                                                           | 4 53  | 4 48   | 9 52        | 10 20 |  |
| 24                    | Thu          | First great fire in Shasta, 1852.                                                                                                                                             | 7 08                                                           | 4 52  | sets.  | 10 40       | 11 08 |  |
| 25                    | Frid         | Gen. Zachary Taylor born, 1784.                                                                                                                                               | 7 09                                                           | 4 51  | 6 18   | 11 25       | 11 50 |  |
| 26                    | Sat          | Thanksgiving Day in California, 1858.                                                                                                                                         | 7 09                                                           | 4 51  | 6 40   | 0 06        | 0 29  |  |
| 27                    | S            | Dr. Watts died, 1748.                                                                                                                                                         | 7 10                                                           | 4 50  | 7 18   | 0 46        | 1 09  |  |
| 28                    | Mon          | Second severe Earthquake in San Francisco, at 35 minutes past 12, midnight, 1858.                                                                                             | 7 11                                                           | 4 49  | 8 16   | 1 20        | 1 45  |  |
| 29                    | Tue          | New York Evacuated by the British, 1783.                                                                                                                                      | 7 12                                                           | 4 48  | 9 26   | 2 05        | 2 23  |  |
| 30                    | Wed          | First Thanksgiving in California, 1849.                                                                                                                                       | 7 13                                                           | 4 47  | 9 54   | 2 40        | 3 09  |  |
|                       |              | Moon Apogee.                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                |       |        |             |       |  |

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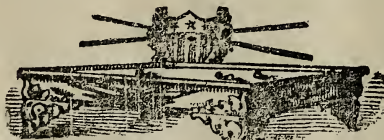
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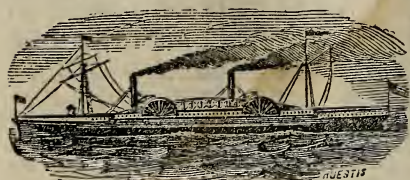
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|               |               |                                                                                                                                                                             | H. M.                                   | H. M. | H. M.  | H. M.       | H. M. |  |
| 1             | Thu           | <b>Chronological Events.</b>                                                                                                                                                | 7 13                                    | 4 47  | 11 04  | 3 26        | 3 45  |  |
| 2             | Frid          | Siege of Quebec, 1775.                                                                                                                                                      | 7 13                                    | 4 47  | 11 04  | 3 26        | 3 45  |  |
| 3             | Sat           | Mail steamship Winfield Scott wrecked off Santa Barbara, 1858.                                                                                                              | 7 13                                    | 4 47  | 11 56  | 4 12        | 4 36  |  |
| 4             | S             | Provisions from one dollar to three dollars per pound, in the mines, 1849.                                                                                                  | 7 14                                    | 4 46  | morn   | 5 03        | 5 34  |  |
| 5             | Mon           | Illinois admitted into the Union, 1818.                                                                                                                                     | 7 14                                    | 4 46  | 1 21   | 6 09        | 4 41  |  |
| 6             | Tue           | Bonaparte crowned Emperor of France, 1804.                                                                                                                                  | 7 14                                    | 4 46  | 2 22   | 7 15        | 7 41  |  |
| 7             | Wed           | Indiana admitted into the Union, 1816.                                                                                                                                      | 7 14                                    | 4 45  | 3 24   | 8 14        | 8 40  |  |
| 8             | Thu           | Woolen cloth first introduced into England, 1890.                                                                                                                           | 7 15                                    | 4 45  | 4 23   | 8 59        | 9 19  |  |
| 9             | Frid          | Battle of Molino del Rey, 1817.                                                                                                                                             | 7 15                                    | 4 45  | 5 18   | 9 35        | 9 56  |  |
| 10            | Sat           | Milton, the Poet, born, 1603.                                                                                                                                               | 7 15                                    | 4 44  | rises. | 10 19       | 10 41 |  |
| 11            | S             | Mississippi admitted into the Union, 1817.                                                                                                                                  | 7 16                                    | 4 44  | 5 58   | 11 05       | 11 26 |  |
| 12            | Mon           | Christianity suppressed in France, 1805.                                                                                                                                    | 7 16                                    | 4 44  | 6 49   | 11 49       | 0 09  |  |
| 13            | Tue           | U. S. Marine Hospital, at Rincon Point, completed, 1853.                                                                                                                    | 7 17                                    | 4 43  | 7 54   | 0 31        | 0 54  |  |
| 14            | Wed           | Moon Perigee.                                                                                                                                                               | 7 17                                    | 4 43  | 9 08   | 1 19        | 1 42  |  |
| 15            | Thu           | Fifth great fire in San Francisco; loss estimated at \$1,000,000, 1850.                                                                                                     | 7 17                                    | 4 43  | 10 25  | 2 08        | 2 30  |  |
| 16            | Frid          | Washington died, 1799. Organization of the first session of the California Legislature, at San Jose, 1849.                                                                  | 7 17                                    | 4 43  | 11 12  | 2 57        | 3 20  |  |
| 17            | Sat           | Thos. O. Larkin arrived in California, 1832.                                                                                                                                | 7 17                                    | 4 42  | 11 56  | 3 41        | 4 11  |  |
| 18            | S             | Great fire in New York, 1835.                                                                                                                                               | 7 18                                    | 4 42  | morn   | 4 39        | 5 10  |  |
| 19            | Mon           | Sacramento City first lighted with gas, 1855.                                                                                                                               | 7 18                                    | 4 42  | 0 57   | 5 41        | 6 14  |  |
| 20            | Tue           | Sir Isaac Newton born, 1642.                                                                                                                                                | 7 18                                    | 4 42  | 1 41   | 6 49        | 7 21  |  |
| 21            | Wed           | Sacramento Valley Railroad first opened for business to Alder creek, 18 miles, 1855.                                                                                        | 7 19                                    | 4 41  | 2 58   | 7 59        | 8 31  |  |
| 22            | Thu           | The population of Sacramento City about 12,500, 1855.                                                                                                                       | 7 19                                    | 4 41  | 3 31   | 8 51        | 9 21  |  |
| 23            | Frid          | Commencement of an unusually long and severe storm of wind and rain, 1851.                                                                                                  | 7 19                                    | 4 41  | 4 13   | 9 39        | 9 57  |  |
| 24            | Sat           | Landing of the Pilgrims of the May Flower, at Plymouth Rock, 1620.                                                                                                          | 7 19                                    | 4 41  | 4 48   | 10 31       | 10 50 |  |
| 25            | S             | First great fire in Stockton, 1849.                                                                                                                                         | 7 19                                    | 4 41  | sets.  | 11 15       | 11 37 |  |
| 26            | Mon           | First great fire in San Francisco, 1849.                                                                                                                                    | 7 18                                    | 4 42  | 6 04   | 11 59       | 0 20  |  |
| 27            | Tue           | CHRISTMAS DAY. We hope you will all enjoy yourselves.                                                                                                                       | 7 18                                    | 4 42  | 7 09   | 0 40        | 0 57  |  |
| 28            | Wed           | Stephen Girard died, in Philadelphia, 1831.                                                                                                                                 | 7 18                                    | 4 42  | 8 10   | 1 15        | 1 33  |  |
| 29            | Thu           | First Indian Baptism at the Mission Dolores, 1776.                                                                                                                          | 7 18                                    | 4 42  | 9 09   | 1 50        | 2 08  |  |
| 30            | Fri           | Moon Apogee.                                                                                                                                                                | 7 17                                    | 4 43  | 9 58   | 2 24        | 2 41  |  |
| 31            | Sat           | The Constitution captured the Java, 1812.                                                                                                                                   | 7 17                                    | 4 43  | 10 58  | 2 57        | 3 19  |  |
|               |               | Buffalo burnt by the British, 1818.                                                                                                                                         | 7 17                                    | 4 43  | 11 48  | 3 36        | 3 56  |  |
|               |               | We wish you a "Merry Christmas" and a "Happy New Year."                                                                                                                     |                                         |       |        |             |       |  |

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Mother, watch the little feet,  
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Beating soft and warm for you;  
Wholesome lessons now impart—  
Keep, O keep that young heart true;

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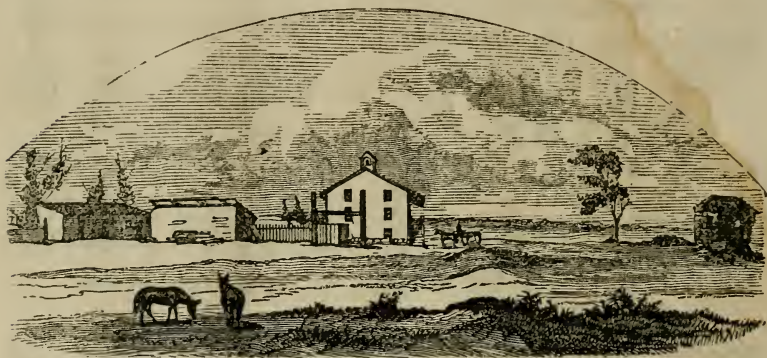
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 The cool fountain stealing,  
 Away and away,  
 Through flow'rets so gay,  
 Singing its silver roundelay.

Love is the fountain of life and bliss,  
 Love is the valley of joyfulness;  
 A garden of roses,  
 Where rapture reposes,—  
 A temple of light,  
 All heavenly bright:  
 O, virtuous love is the soul's delight!

A crust of bread, a pitcher of water, a thatched roof, and love—There is happiness for you, whether the day be rainy or sunny. It is the heart that makes the home, whether the eye rests on a potato patch or a flower garden—Heart makes home precious, and it is the only thing that can.



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## BY-AND-BY.

To him across the ocean foaming,  
 Far from home and loved ones roaming,  
 Floats an echo through the gloaming,  
 By-and-by! by-and-by!  
 Thrills the warm heart, lights the eye,  
 With thoughts of meeting by-and-by.

The mourner, by the green grave weeping,  
 Where a cherished form is sleeping,  
 Hears a spirit softly speaking,  
 By-and-by! by-and-by!  
 Dear one, lift thy thoughts on high,  
 We shall meet thee by-and-by?

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| Sonora,.....       | Aug. 21, 1854,... | 26    | 315   | Golden Gate,...    | April 13, 1856,... | 24    | 339   |
| California,.....   | Sept. 19, "...    | 29    | 323   | J. L. Stephens,... | May 1, "...        | 27    | 348   |
| J. L. Stephens,... | Oct. 2, "...      | 27    | 293   | Golden Age,...     | May 22, "...       | 31    | 329   |
| Golden Age,.....   | Oct. 16, "...     | 26    | 303   | Sonora,.....       | June 1, "...       | 26    | 298   |
| Sonora,.....       | Nov. 1, "...      | 27    | 291   | Golden Gate,...    | June 15, "...      | 25    | 354   |
| Golden Gate,.....  | Nov. 13, "...     | 24    | 292   | J. L. Stephens,... | July 1, "...       | 26    | 336   |
| J. L. Stephens,... | Dec. 1, "...      | 25    | 317   | Golden Age,...     | July 14, "...      | 25    | 331   |
| Golden Age,.....   | Dec. 14, "...     | 24    | 296   | Sonora,.....       | July 29, "...      | 24    | 318   |
| Sonora,.....       | Dec. 30, "...     | 25    | 268   | J. L. Stephens,... | Aug. 14, "...      | 24    | 313   |
| J. L. Stephens,... | Jan. 13, 1855,... | 24    | 249   | Golden Age,...     | Aug. 28, "...      | 23    | 337   |
| Golden Age,.....   | Jan. 29, "...     | 24    | 277   | Sonora,.....       | Sept. 16, "...     | 27    | 359   |
| Oregon,.....       | Feb. 17, "...     | 28    | 317   | J. L. Stephens,... | Sept. 29, "...     | 24    | 309   |
| Sonora,.....       | March 2, "...     | 25    | 286   | Golden Age,...     | Oct. 14, "...      | 24    | 299   |
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| Golden Gate,.....  | April 12, "...    | 23    | 317   | Golden Age,...     | Dec. 1, "...       | 26    | 321   |
| Sonora,.....       | May 1, "...       | 26    | 333   | Sonora,.....       | Dec. 16, "...      | 26    | 302   |
| J. L. Stephens,... | May 16, "...      | 26    | 300   | J. L. Stephens,... | Dec. 30, "...      | 25    | 290   |
| Golden Gate,...    | May 30, "...      | 25    | 274   | Golden Gate,...    | Jan. 15, 1857,...  | 26    | 307   |
| Sonora,.....       | June 16, "...     | 26    | 306   | Sonora,.....       | Jan 30, "...       | 25    | 286   |
| Golden Age,.....   | June 30, "...     | 25    | 242   | J. L. Stephens,... | Feb. 14, "...      | 25    | 267   |
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This truth came borne with bler and pall,  
I felt it when I sorrowed most—  
'Tis better to have loved and lost,  
Than never to have loved at all.

If your lips would save from slips,  
Five things observe with care;  
*Of* whom you speak, *to* whom you speak,  
Aud *how*, and *when*, and *where*.

"Sam, does your mother ever give you any rewards of merit?"

"I 'spose she does, she gives me a licking regularly every day, and says I merit two."

To kill bedbugs, take corrosive sublimate and daub it all over your bedstead; then, burn your bedstead and bed-clothing, and move into another house.

Joke when you please, but always be careful to please when you joke.

Do nothing by halves; if it be right, do it boldly; if wrong, leave it undone.

Very few persons have sense enough to despise the praise of a fool.

The mother's heart is the child's school-room.



THE CALIFORNIA QUAIL.



A false friend is like a shadow on a dial; it appears in clear weather, but vanishes as soon as a cloud appears.

When you see a small waist, think how great a waste of health it represents.

It appears from the reports of the Assessors of the various counties of Oregon, that there are 42,862 souls, and 9,910 voters, in the Territory.

The total number of children, under eighteen years, in Sonoma county, is 4,218.

"I'm all heart," said a military officer to his comrades. "Pity you're not part pluck," said his superior in command.

The taxable property of Oregon Territory, for the year 1858, amounts to the sum of \$22,724,118 against \$18,463,272 the previous year.

The false impression that went abroad, returned in the last steamer.



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**A BEAUTIFUL IDEA.**—It is pleasant to see a green old age, like a Christmas tree, comfortably boxed in at home. It is pleasant to see its trunk, bent beneath the weight of riches; surrounded by a host of happy children. It is pleasant to see it stretching out its hospitable arms to all, as though it were anxious to embrace the entire party. It is pleasant to see it blossoming with generous things, and shedding a cheerful light on the gay circle it delights in drawing round it. And it is pleasant to see it distributing, with a lavish hand, the treasures it has accumulated on all its branches, and to notice its head rising higher every time it parts with a fresh gift!—*Irving.*

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
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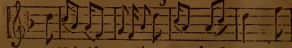
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